



Play!

Programs & Activities

Fall & Winter 2015-16



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and More

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Recreation & Parks Department
614.876.5200



MISSION STATEMENT

The Hilliard Recreation and Parks Department strives to provide a diverse scope of recreational and leisure time activities for the community in an effort to enhance the quality of life for everybody. For the environment we provide clean, safe, and well-maintained parks and facilities. We strive to meet these goals in a friendly, professional, and wholesome atmosphere. The economic, social, and health benefits of recreation are endless and this is our mission in which we can all take pride.

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FACILITIES & HOURS

Hilliard Community Center

3800 Veterans Memorial Drive
Hilliard, Ohio 43026

Phone: 614.876.5200

Fax: 614.876.5281

Facility Hours (Subject to Change):

- Sunday: Noon-6 p.m.
- Monday: 8 a.m.-8 p.m.
- Tuesday: 8 a.m.-9 p.m.
- Wednesday: 8 a.m.-8 p.m.
- Thursday: 8 a.m.-7 p.m.
- Friday: 8 a.m.-5 p.m.
- Saturday: 8 a.m.-2 p.m.

Phyllis A. Ernst Senior Center

3810 Veterans Memorial Drive
Hilliard, Ohio 43026

Phone: 614.876.0747

Fax: 614.876.5281

Facility Hours:

- Monday-Friday: 8 a.m.-4 p.m., plus open late Wednesdays and Thursdays until 7 p.m.

Holiday Hours

The City of Hilliard offices are closed in observance of the following holidays:

- Labor Day: Monday, Sept. 7
- Columbus Day: Monday, Oct. 12
- Veterans Day: Wednesday, Nov. 11
- Thanksgiving: Thursday/Friday, Nov. 26-27
- Christmas: Thursday/Friday, Dec. 24-25
- New Year's Day: Friday, Jan. 1
- Presidents' Day: Monday, Feb. 15
- Good Friday: Friday, March 25



Don Schonhardt, Mayor

Hilliard Municipal Building
3800 Municipal Way
Hilliard, Ohio 43026
614.876.7361

hilliardohio.gov

Hilliard Police Department
5171 Northwest Parkway
Hilliard, Ohio 43026
614.876.7321
(Non-emergency number)

Annual Shut Down

The Recreation and Parks Department

(Community Center and Phyllis A. Ernst Senior Center) is closed for cleaning
Saturday, Sept. 5-13, 2015. Online registration is available.

Roger A. Reynolds Municipal Park
Ballfield Rainout Number:
614.470.5413

Fall & Winter Sign Up 2015-16

Fall and Winter registration begins at 9 a.m., Monday, Aug. 3, 2015. Registration for most classes closes one week prior to the start of the class.

GET READY TO REGISTER & HAVE SOME FUN

1 REGISTER ONLINE!

- Once you have established your household and provided verification of residency, we email you a username and password so that you can register online at hilliardohio.gov.
- Once logged on to the City's website, click on "PLAY" and then "Online Registration" and sign in. Once you have signed in, you can search classes by clicking on "Search" and then "Activity."

2 REGISTER IN PERSON

- Visit the Hilliard Recreation and Parks Department during regular hours of operation. See page 2 for details.

A MESSAGE FROM THE DIRECTOR

It is a privilege and honor to serve as the Director of an agency that continues to grow and evolve with the Hilliard Community. We are proud to serve the residents of Hilliard and are excited about the opportunities for growth in the near future. I would like to invite you to take advantage of one of our twenty six parks, bike-run-or-walk on our trails, swim at the Hilliard East Pool or Hilliard Family Aquatic Center, and visit the Hilliard Community Center or Phyllis A. Ernst Senior Center.

In 2014, we began the process of conducting a Comprehensive Parks and Public Spaces Master Plan, which is a ten year vision of guiding principals and improvements. Please look for additional information as this process draws near conclusion in August of 2015 and we begin to implement certain elements of the plan in 2016.

Old Hilliard is vibrant and busy preparing for the addition of Hilliard's Station Park. This park is a multi-faceted facility that will host public events, includes an amphitheater for entertainment venues, a splash pad and will

become the new home for the Hilliard Farm Market in 2016. We hope you can join us at the park on September 12 during the Old Hilliardfest event and on December 3 for the 26th Annual City of Hilliard Tree Lighting.

The new Heritage Preserve Park (off Alton Darby Creek Road) is almost complete. This site boasts approximately 200 acres of passive park land and walking trails in addition to a natural play area where imaginative play is the name of the game! Due to a grant we received, you will also see an expansion of our pathway system in the Roger A. Reynolds Municipal Park connecting adjacent neighborhoods and upgrading existing pathways.

As we continue to evolve, communication and collaboration become even more essential elements in fulfilling our mission. We seek and value your input and suggestions. Whether you are simply looking for information or just browsing our program guide, we are glad you're here!

Steve Mazer, Recreation and Parks Director

CANCELING CLASSES & REFUNDS

In the event of inclement weather conditions, the Hilliard Recreation and Parks Department may cancel programs, special events, drop-in activities and/or close facilities based on the severity of the situation. All daytime (before 5 p.m.) programs are canceled when Hilliard City Schools closes or is on a delay due to inclement weather. Cancellation of evening programs (after 5 p.m.) is determined by 4 p.m. the day of the activity and 9 a.m. Saturdays and Sundays. Please call 614.876.5200, visit our Facebook page, watch Channel 4 or go to nbc4i.com for the latest cancellations. We make decisions based on the severity of the driving and weather conditions along with our ability to keep the sidewalks and parking lots in good condition.

The City of Hilliard Recreation and Parks Department reserves the right to cancel classes due to low enrollment. If a class is canceled due to low enrollment, a full refund is issued in the form of a check or credited to your credit card. No cash refunds are issued. Refund checks take approximately three weeks to process and are mailed.

Refund requests and/or transfers must be submitted in writing and are made only before the start of the class for one of the following circumstances:

- When a refund is requested at least seven days in advance of the first class meeting or trip, provided it does not reduce the class participation level below the required minimum.
- Documentation may be required for an approved hardship situation (relocation outside a 25-mile radius of the Community Center or a medical restriction).
- Senior Center refunds \$10 or less are issued as a credit to your household.
- If your request is for an activity or event for which advance tickets were purchased or reservations made, we will issue a refund only if we are able to re-sell your reservation to a patron on the waiting list. If we are unable to re-sell your ticket, you will be responsible for the cost, though may transfer the ticket or reservation to a family or friend.
- We recommend the purchase of travel insurance for trips scheduled through tour companies as many have rigid refund deadlines.
- Refunds may reflect a processing fee.

GENERAL INFORMATION

FAIR SHARE POLICY

The City of Hilliard Recreation and Parks Department is largely financed through city income tax dollars. Therefore, to be considered a "City Resident" in our registration process, you must live within the city limits of Hilliard. Even though you may have a Hilliard mailing address or live within the Hilliard City School District boundaries, you may not live inside of the Hilliard city limits. We ask for your understanding when registering.

Those registering for a program are asked to provide current verification of residency. You will receive a user name and password for online registration purposes once verification of residency has been established (must update annually).

YOU SNOOZE, YOU LOSE!

Nothing cancels a good class more quickly than everyone waiting until the last minute to register. If there are not enough registrants by a certain date, the program may be canceled. Registering on the day of a class does not save a class. Please register as early as possible!

NOTICE TO PARTICIPANTS

Participants must recognize that all classes/activities of a physical nature involve some risk, and by registering for a class/activity of this nature, there is an assumption of risk to the participant. The City of Hilliard Recreation and Parks Department is dedicated to providing safe facilities and equipment as well as qualified staff for all participants. Every effort is made to ensure participant safety and to provide first class recreational activities, facilities and parks. In the event of a serious accident or illness, it is the policy of the City of Hilliard to: 1.) Activate our Emergency Action Plan. 2.) Call 9-1-1, the Norwich Township Fire Department for first aid and emergency treatment. 3.) Reach the parent, guardian or emergency contact as soon as the situation allows.

MILITARY DISCOUNT: 10% OFF!

Special discount for active duty military personnel and their immediate family. Identification must be provided to receive discount.

PHOTO RELEASE

By registering for any Hilliard Recreation and Parks Department program, you agree to allow publication of photos taken at any program, event or facility associated with the City of Hilliard Recreation and Parks Department unless you notify us in writing at the time of registration.

SHARE YOUR TALENTS...TEACH!

Do you have a special skill or hobby that you are willing to share? Instructors are always needed to teach new classes and programs. To have your class or idea considered, stop in and fill out a class proposal form or email Geoff Dew at gdew@hilliardohio.gov.

TO ERR IS HUMAN

Although our staff works hard to ensure that publications are free from mistakes, there are times when errors in dates, times, rates or registration information occurs. We do everything possible to make corrections, and we thank you for your understanding when these situations arise!



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COMMUNITY CONTACTS

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| Norwich Township Fire Department..... | 614.876.7694 |
| Norwich Township, non-emergency | 614.876.7694 |
| Hilliard Police Department, non-emergency | 614.876.7321 |
| Franklin County Sheriff | 614.525.3333 |
| Refuse Collection (Local Waste) | 614.334.1175 |
| Water Billing Information | 614.645.8270 |
| US Postal Service (Hilliard) | 614.876.7021 |
| Poison Control | 614.228.1323 |
| Suicide Prevention Services | 614.221.5445 |
| Franklin Co. Children's Services | 614.229.7000 |
| Franklin County Fairgrounds | 614.876.7235 |
| Central Ohio Area Office on Aging | coaa.org |
| Franklin County Office on Aging | officeonaging.org |
| NW Historical Society | 614.876.5880, franklincountyohiohistory.org |
| Civic Association | oldhilliardfest.org |
| Metro Parks Information | 614.508.8000 |
| Franklin County Board of Elections | 614.462.3100 |
| Hilliard Area Chamber of Commerce | 614.876.7666, hilliardchamber.org |
| Hilliard Area Lions Club | 614.459.0821 |
| Hilliard Arts Council | 888.980.2787, hilliardartscouncil.org |
| Hilliard Area Garden Club | HilliardGardenClub.com |
| Hilliard Branch Library | 614.645.2275 |
| Hilliard City School District | 614.921.7000 |
| Hilliard Community Assistance Council (Food) | hilliardfoodpantry.com |
| Hilliard Community Assistance Council (Utilities) | 614.876.6580 |
| Destination Hilliard | 614.664.3290, destinationhilliard.com |
| Hilliard Jaycees | 614.563.4168 |
| Hilliard Kiwanis Club | 614.876.5251, hilliardkiwanis.com |
| Patches of Light | 614.946.7544, patchesoflight.org |
| Serving Our Neighbors (SON Ministries) | 614.586.7939, SON-Ministries.org |

YOUTH SPORTS

Hilliard Ohio Soccer Association (HOSA)
614.664.9250, admin@hosa-soccer.org

Hilliard Youth Lacrosse Association (HYLA)
hylalax.org

Hilliard Girls Softball Association (HGSA)
hilliardgirlssoftball.com

Hilliard Baseball Association (HBA) hilliardbaseball.com

Hilliard All American Travel Baseball
Jim Coverstone, 614.527.8723 or
coversj@nationwide.com

NFL Youth Flag Football
614.937.5252, flagfootballfanatics@yahoo.com

Hilliard Optimist Club
Football, Basketball & Cheer
hilliardoptimist.com

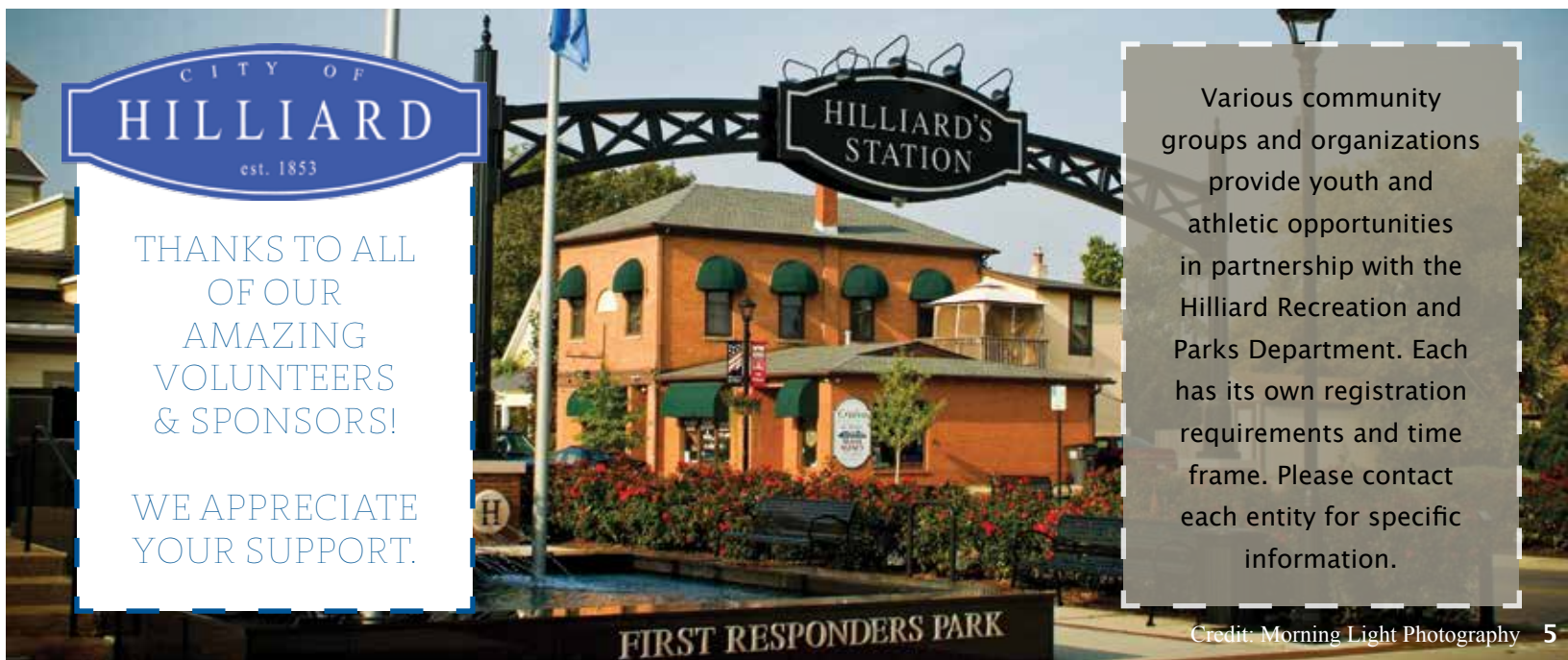
Upward Basketball & Cheer
upward.org

Hilliard Marlins Swim & Dive Team
HilliardMarlins.org

United Swim Association
swim4usa.com

i9 Sports
Steve Cox, scox@i9Sports.com, i9Sports.com

Jump Start Sports
jumpstartsports.com



THANKS TO ALL
OF OUR
AMAZING
VOLUNTEERS
& SPONSORS!

WE APPRECIATE
YOUR SUPPORT.

Various community groups and organizations provide youth and athletic opportunities in partnership with the Hilliard Recreation and Parks Department. Each has its own registration requirements and time frame. Please contact each entity for specific information.

PRESCHOOL CLASSES

MUSIKGARTEN

Ages Birth to 5

The Mixed-age group classes are ideal for ages 1-3 and are adaptable for younger and older siblings so families have the opportunity to attend music class together. New “Cycles classes” are available for ages 3-5. These classes are filled with a variety of activities to meet the children’s developmental needs including singing, dancing, instrument time, and rhythm and vocal patterns. Instructor: Licensed Musikgarten Teacher Erin Meats



Sing with Me (ages birth-5)

- 6:30-7 p.m., Wednesdays, Sept. 16- Dec. 9 (no class Nov. 25)
- \$160 (first child), \$60 each additional sibling
- Includes Parent Booklet with CD and instrument

Cycle of Season, Wind Dancers (ages 3-5)

- 7:05-7:35 p.m., Wednesdays, Sept. 16- Dec. 9 (no class Nov. 25)
- \$170 (1st Child), \$60 each additional sibling
- Includes Parent Booklet with CD and instrument
- Register by calling Erin Meats at 614.407.8843 or visiting ErinsMusicStudio.com/registration

JUMPBUNCH SPORTS AND FITNESS

Ages 18 months-5 years

Coaches lead lively, colorful, and age-appropriate activities for toddlers and preschoolers that build motor skills, balance, coordination, muscles, and teamwork. Teaching consists of constant praise and encouragement enabling the children to establish self-confidence and healthy habits. Each lesson features a different activity covering sports-readiness skills, fitness activities and working together.

- Tuesdays beginning Sept. 15
- Parent/Toddler, ages 15-24 months: 5:45-6:15 p.m.
- Parent/Toddler, ages 24-36 months: 6:15-6:45 p.m.
- Preschool, ages 3-5 years (without parent), 6:45-7:30 p.m.
- \$36/month, ongoing registration.
- Register at JumpBunchLocations.com/ColumbusOH

HEAD TO TOE, LET’S GO!

Ages 3-5 w/parent

This class is designed to teach your little one how to achieve a healthy mind and body, all while having fun. Your child will engage in exercises, basic tumbling skills, yoga poses, sing-a-longs and storytime. In this class your child learns the importance of a healthy, active lifestyle while improving coordination, balance, confidence and self-esteem.

- Activity 314511-01: 10:15-11 a.m. Mondays, Sept. 14- Oct. 26 (no class Oct. 12)
- Activity 314511-02: 10:15-11 a.m. Mondays, Nov. 2-Dec. 7
- Activity 314511-03: 10:15-11 a.m. Mondays, Jan. 18- Feb. 29 (no class Feb. 15)
- \$35/ RES, \$40/SDN (per session)

TYKE TYME

Ages 1-5 w/ parent

This drop-in program in the Community Center gym is a wonderful opportunity to network with other parents and children. Parents provide supervision for this program.

- 9:30-11 a.m., Fridays, beginning Oct. 23 (no program on Hilliard school days off and holidays) \$2/child drop-in fee

TINY PICASSOS BOOK ART

Join Tiny Picasso’s art teachers as we combine literature and art. Each week we’ll read a book and create a visual work of art centered around the shapes, colors and textures we discover. We’ll learn how to express feelings with and without words, and get confident with the creative process. All supplies included.

- \$65 RES/SDN
- Register at tinypicassos.com

TINY FINGERS

Join Tiny Picasso’s art teachers as we explore using our hands to make art, encourage creative exploration and get messy. Each week we’ll do a project together that inspires creative connection in a fun, nurturing environment. Parent/Child class. Supplies included.

- \$65 RES/SDN
- Register at tinypicassos.com

TINY PICASSOS WATERCOLOR

Join Tiny Picasso’s art teachers as we experiment with watercolors. Kids learn the effects of paint with water, overlapping colors and other various elements. This fun class opens up their world to the magic of watercolors.

- \$65 RES/SDN
- Register at tinypicassos.com

WE JOY SING: “HEART STRINGS”

Birth-5 years

Playfully discover how your baby, toddler or preschooler learns and grows through musical play. Together explore instruments and a wealth of musical and movement activities that stimulate essential early skills! Play, sing, laugh and learn with your child as you joyfully share and incorporate music based learning experiences into daily life.

- Thursdays: 5-5:30 p.m., 4-5 years; 5:40-6:10 p.m., 1-24 months; and 6:20-6:50 p.m., 2-3 years
- Fall (9 weeks): Sept. 17-Nov. 12
- Holiday (4 weeks): Nov. 19-Dec. 17 (no class Nov. 26)
- Winter (9 weeks): Jan. 7-March 3
- \$50/4 weeks, \$115/9 weeks
- Register by calling 614.868.0107 or by visiting wejoying.com
- Morning and evening classes, please call for details

GET UP ‘N GROW!

Ages 18-35 months w/parent

This 45-minute class provides a great parent-child bonding experience while setting the stage for a healthy and active lifestyle. Your little one will develop basic gymnastic skills as well as general physical fitness skills through creative music and movement. During this engaging class, your child plays games, sing songs and has fun!

- Activity 314510-01 : 9:15-10 a.m., Mondays, Sept. 14- Oct. 26 (no class Oct. 12)
- Activity 314510-02 : 9:15-10 a.m., Mondays, Nov. 2-Dec. 7
- Activity 314510-03: 9:15-10 a.m. Mondays, Jan. 18-Feb. 29 (no class Feb. 15)
- \$35/ RES, \$40/SDN (per session)

SPANISH FOR PRESCHOOLERS

Ages 3-5

This class teaches preschoolers Spanish vocabulary and simple sentences through fun play, songs, activities, crafts and games. The class receives its own Cultured Kids Club web page to download age-appropriate Spanish worksheets, YouTube cartoons and vocabulary lists to practice at home. Cultured Kids Club is a full-immersion foreign language center. We offer small class sizes of 8-10 children for more one-on-one language learning with our native Spanish teacher, Miss Jessica. In this class your child is on the fast track to fluency.

- Saturdays, 10:45 a.m.-12:15 p.m.
- Register or request more details at culturedkidsclub.com or 614.389.5057

PRESCHOOL CLASSES

SOCCER SHOTS

Ages 3-6

Each session introduces your child to basic soccer skills, fun fitness activities, exercises, coordination, balance and agility. No gear or equipment is needed. Each participant receives a prize. Contact Chris at 614.313.1550 or James Uttley at 614.535.7082. All classes held outdoors.

Fall Session: Aug. 24-Oct. 26 (no class Sept. 7)

- Monday: Hilliard Community Center
- 2-3 years: 5:30-6 p.m.
- 4-6 years: 6:15-6:45 p.m.

- Wednesday: Lakewood Park, 3180 Walkerview Drive
- 2-3 years: 5:30-6 p.m.
- 4-6 years: 6:15-6:45 p.m.

- Thursday: Tinapple Park, 5503 Hyde Park Drive
- 2-3 years: 5:30-6 p.m.
- 4-6 years: 6:15-6:45 p.m.

Winter Session: Jan. 11-March 7 (no class Feb. 15)

- Monday: Hilliard Community Center
- 2-3 years: 5:30-6 p.m.
- 4-6 years: 6:15-6:45 p.m.
- \$110/RES/SDN Fall
- \$90/RES/SDN Winter
- Register at columbusnorth.soccershots.org

TAP & BALLET COMBO

Ages 3-4

This is a fun and active class, which includes tap dancing steps as well as pre-ballet movements, for all children who enjoy dancing. Participants gain balance, strength, self-expression, confidence, memory and movement while having loads of fun.

Instructor: Suzanne Schwartz

- Saturdays, Sept. 19-Oct. 24
- Activity 424507-01: 11:45 a.m.-12:30 p.m.
- Activity 424507-02: 12:30-1:15 p.m.
- Activity 424507-03: 1:15-2 p.m.
- \$30/RES, \$35/SDN
- Saturdays, Oct. 31-Dec. 11 (no class Nov. 28)
- Activity 424507-04: 11:45 a.m.-12:30 p.m.
- Activity 424507-05: 12:30-1:15 p.m.
- Activity 424507-06: 1:15-2 p.m.
- \$30/RES, \$35/SDN
- Saturdays, Jan. 9-Feb. 27
- Activity 124507-01: 11:45 a.m.-12:30 p.m.
- Activity 124507-02: 12:30-1:15 p.m.
- Activity 124507-03: 1:15-2 p.m.
- \$40/RES, \$45/SDN



HILLIARD T-BIRDS T-BALL

Ages 3-4

This is an instructional T-Ball program. Players learn the basics of catching, fielding, throwing and hitting then they apply what they've learned in fun, non-competitive games. Parents are encouraged to participate in the coaching and are provided practice plans and assistance in coaching young children. Conducted by Jump Start Sports. Contact Aaron Bally at 614.505.6532 or ABally@JumpStartSports.com for further information.

- 4:25-5:25 p.m., 5:30-6:30 p.m.
- Monday, Sept. 14-Oct. 12
- Fields 7 & 8, Roger A. Reynolds Municipal Park
- \$60/RES/SDN (plus a nominal convenience fee); includes MLB hat and team shirt
- Register at JumpStartSports.com

HILLIARD LITTLE HOOP STARS

Pre-K and Kindergarten

Professional coaches from Jump Start Sports run this instructional and recreational basketball program. Players are taught the basics of dribbling, passing, shooting, positioning, defense and rebounding then apply what they have learned in fun, non-competitive games. Parents are welcome to assist in coaching, but classes are run by Jump Start Sports instructors. Players are assigned to teams and each session includes a game as well the instruction. Conducted by Jump Start Sports. Contact Aaron Bally at 614.505.6532 or ABally@JumpstartSports.com.

- Fall Session: Saturdays, Nov. 7-Dec. 19 (no class Nov. 28)
- Winter Session: Saturdays, Jan. 16-Feb. 20
- 10:45-11:45 a.m. or 11:45 a.m.-12:45 p.m.
- Hilliard Community Center
- Cost \$65 RES/SDN per session (plus a nominal convenience fee)
- Register at JumpStartSports.com

HILLIARD REC Preschool



This preschool program is offered at the Hilliard Community Center for 3-, 4- and 5-year-old children. Program runs mid-September thru mid-May and is licensed through the Ohio Department of Job and Family Services. HRP started in 1980 and has an outstanding reputation for nurturing and encouraging social, physical and academic growth. Students learn how to interact with peers in a social atmosphere. Curriculum and daily activities include arts and crafts, playtime, large motor skill activities, centers and learning time. Children must be potty trained. Contact Chris Jacobs at cjacobs@hilliardohio.gov for additional information.

REGISTRATION

Walk-in Registration for the 2016-2017 school year begins at 9 a.m., Friday, Feb. 12, 2016. A \$50 RES/SDN non-refundable registration and supply fee is required.

CLASSES FOR 3-YEAR-OLDS

Tuesday and Thursday

- AM classes: 9-11:30 a.m.
- PM classes: 12:30-3 p.m.

CLASSES FOR 4- & 5-YEAR-OLDS

Monday, Wednesday and Friday.

- AM classes: 9-11:30 a.m.
- PM classes: 12:30-3 p.m.



YOUTH CLASSES

HILLIARD HOOP STARS

Grades 1-2

Professional coaches from Jump Start Sports run this program. Players are taught the basics of dribbling, passing, shooting, positioning, defense and rebounding then apply what they have learned in fun, non-competitive games. Parents are welcome to assist in coaching, but classes are run by Jump Start Sports instructors. Players are assigned to teams and each session includes a game as well as the instruction. Contact Aaron Bally at 614.505.6532 or ABally@JumpstartSports.com for more information.

- Fall Session: Saturdays, Nov. 7-Dec. 19 (no class on Nov. 28)
- Winter Session: Saturdays, Jan. 16-Feb. 20
- 11:45 a.m.-12:45 p.m. or 12:45-2 p.m.
- Hilliard Community Center
- \$65/RES/SDN per session (plus a nominal convenience fee)
- Register at JumpStartSports.com

ADVENTURES IN ART

Ages 5-9 (5-year-olds must be in Kindergarten) Children are encouraged to stretch their creative minds and make art that is unique to them. Instruction is provided in a positive, noncompetitive environment so each child can feel at ease. We explore a wide range of art medium and techniques. Please wear old clothes. For more details visit ungabungaart.com. Instructor: Shonda Wycoff

- 4-5:15 p.m., Fridays, Sept. 25-Oct. 16
- \$43/RES \$48/SDN, plus \$12 materials fee due to the instructor at first class
- Go to ungabungaart.com for more information

HILLIARD VOLLEYBALL

Grades 3-6

This is a fun and instructional program. All fundamentals will be taught, including serves, sets, spikes, blocks, returns, positioning and team strategy. Whether your child is an experienced player or a complete novice, they will have a blast and learn a lot about the sport in this fun and innovative program! Conducted by Jump Start Sports. Contact Aaron Bally at 614.505.6532 or ABally@JumpstartSports.com for more information.

- Saturdays, Jan. 16-Feb. 20
- 9-10:15 a.m.
- \$60 per session (plus a nominal convenience fee)
- Register at JumpStartSports.com

HILLIARD GIRLS BASKETBALL

Grades 3-4

Professional coaches from Jump Start Sports run this instructional and recreational program. Players are taught the basics of dribbling, passing, shooting, positioning, defense, and rebounding and then apply what they have learned in fun, non-competitive games. Parents are welcome to assist in coaching, but classes are run by Jump Start Sports instructors. Players are assigned to teams and each session includes a game as well the instruction. Contact Aaron Bally at 614.505.6532 or ABally@JumpstartSports.com for more information.

- 9:30-10:45 a.m., Saturdays, Nov. 7-Dec. 19 (no class Nov. 28)
- Hilliard Community Center
- Cost \$65 RES/SDN (plus a nominal convenience fee)
- Register at JumpStartSports.com

HILLIARD COACH PITCH BASEBALL

Grades 3-6

This is a fun introduction to coach pitch baseball. Players receive instruction in all basics of the sport and apply what they have learned in fun games. Players who are not able to hit a pitched ball may use a tee while learning. Conducted by Jump Start Sports. Contact Aaron Bally at 614.505.6532 or ABally@JumpStartSports.com for further information.

- 4:15-5:25 p.m., 5:30-6:45 p.m.
- Mondays, Sept. 14-Oct. 12
- Fields 5 & 6, Roger A. Reynolds Municipal Park
- Cost \$60 RES/SDN (plus a nominal convenience fee) includes MLB hat and team shirt
- Register at JumpStartSports.com

SPANISH EXPLORERS

Ages 6-9

This class is designed to teach younger elementary children Spanish verbal, reading and writing communication skills through engaging, fun and interactive curriculum. Students receive their own Spanish workbook and a class webpage with age-appropriate YouTube videos and phone apps. Cultured Kids Club is a full-immersion foreign language center with small class sizes of 8-10 children.

- Saturdays, 9:15-10:45 a.m.
- Call 614.389.5057 or visit culturedkidsclub.org for more information or to register

KIDZ HOME ALONE

Grades 4-6

This interactive course teaches topics such as First Aid, Self Heimlich maneuver, reasons to call 911, fire escape plans, microwave safety and how to problem solve. A parent guide is included in the student manual which provides helpful discussion points between parent and child. Parents do not need to attend the class.

- 10 a.m.-Noon, Saturdays, Oct. 17 and 24
- \$70 RES/SDN
- Register at enrichingkidz.com/alone

BETTER BABY SITTERS

Grades 5-8

Your child will learn the responsibilities of having a job, the Rights of a babysitter, CPR for a Child and Infant, Basic First Aid, Growth and Development and appropriate toys and activities for kids. A Policeman and Firemen will speak to them regarding safety issues while babysitting. They also learn diaper changing, infant care and how to feed a toddler. The most important component of the Better Baby Sitters course is that it is fun!

- 10 a.m.-1:30 p.m., Saturdays
- Session 1, Sept. 26 and Oct. 3
- Session 2, Nov. 14 and 21
- Register at enrichingkidz.com/babysitters

YOUNG REMBRANDTS

Ages 6-12

We teach drawing, the fundamental skill of all visual arts. Our innovative, step-by-step curriculum and engaging subject matter will show your child that drawing can be fun and interesting! During our once-a-week classes, we teach skills that help them grow, develop and excel while your child creates memories that last a lifetime. 5 sessions.

- 6:30-7:30 p.m., Wednesdays, Nov. 4-Dec 16
- \$68 RES/SDN
- Register at youngrembrandts.com

THE HAUNTED WORKSHOP

Ages 2.5-15 (Parent attends with ages 2.5-5) Don't you hate when you get those Halloween blahs? Well perhaps if you could make your own scary masks and terrifying decorations you could turn those blahs into WHA HA HA HAS!!! Frightening snacks are provided. The mess is gruesome SO PLEASE WEAR OLD CLOTHES. Instructor: Shonda Wycoff

- Activity: 413562-01, 4-5:30 p.m., Friday, Oct. 23
- \$12 per participant, plus a \$10 snack and supply fee paid to instructor the day of
- For more information please visit ungabungaart.com

YOUTH & ADULT CLASSES

YOGA

No need to register, just attend when you are available! Bring a mat and wear comfortable clothes. Instructor: Debbie Rogers.

- 6:30-8 p.m., Mondays
- \$5 drop-in fee

KARATE

Ages 10 and up

Students are taught practical application of skills for self defense. Each student learns at their own pace. The class begins with stretching and warm-ups and may include Kata, sparring, grappling or general self-defense. Please visit hsoma.com for more information. Instructor: Jason Smiley

- Wednesdays, 6-8 p.m., Sept. 2-Nov. 18, Dec. 2-Feb. 17, Feb. 24-April 27 (no class Sept. 9, Nov. 11, Dec 23, Dec 30)
- New students may start at any time, but pass expires at the end of each session
- 10-session pass: \$70/RES, \$75/SDN
- 7-session pass: \$60/RES, \$65/SDN
- 4-session pass: \$35/RES, \$40/SDN
- 50% family member discounts, online registration not available

VOLLEYBALL LEAGUES

Various volleyball leagues are offered throughout the year. New teams are added to the waiting list or added to our schedule accordingly. Contact Kenny Brown at kbrown@hilliardohio.gov for more information.

- Co-Rec Power Volleyball: Noon-7:30 p.m., Sundays
- Men: Mondays, 6:30-9:30 p.m.
- Women: Tuesdays, 6:30-9:30 p.m.

BASKETBALL OPEN GYM

18 and up

Join fellow basketball enthusiasts. Open to members. Schedule subject to change due to programming.

- 11:30 a.m.-12:45 p.m., Tuesdays, Thursdays and Fridays

MEN'S SOFTBALL LEAGUES

League play is Monday and Wednesday evenings at the Roger A. Reynolds Municipal Park ball fields. Contact Dick Clark at 614.876.7162 for more information.

CO-REC SOFTBALL LEAGUES

League play is held Sunday evenings at the Roger A. Reynolds Municipal Park ball fields. For more information, contact Kenny Brown at kbrown@hilliardohio.gov.

SOCCER LEAGUES

Men's and Co-Rec soccer leagues are looking for 7-on-7 teams to form the inaugural fall season on the pitch beginning in September and extending into November. Contact Kenny Brown at kbrown@hilliardohio.gov for more information.

- Men: 1:30-3:30 p.m., Sundays
- Co-Rec: 3:30-5:30 p.m., Sundays

FITNESS ROOM

Fitness equipment, a treadmill, stationary bicycles, an elliptical machine and free weights are available at the Community Center during open hours.

- \$15/RES, \$20/SDN, \$5/SR monthly fee.

ZUMBA

Ages 16 and up

Zumba combines high-energy, motivating music with easy-to-follow moves. Burn calories and feel energized with this Latin flavored workout like no other. Instructor: Doreen Woodard.

- 9:15-10 a.m., Mondays and Wednesdays; 6-7 p.m., Thursdays; 5-6 p.m., Sundays
- \$3 drop-in fee

INSANITY LIVE

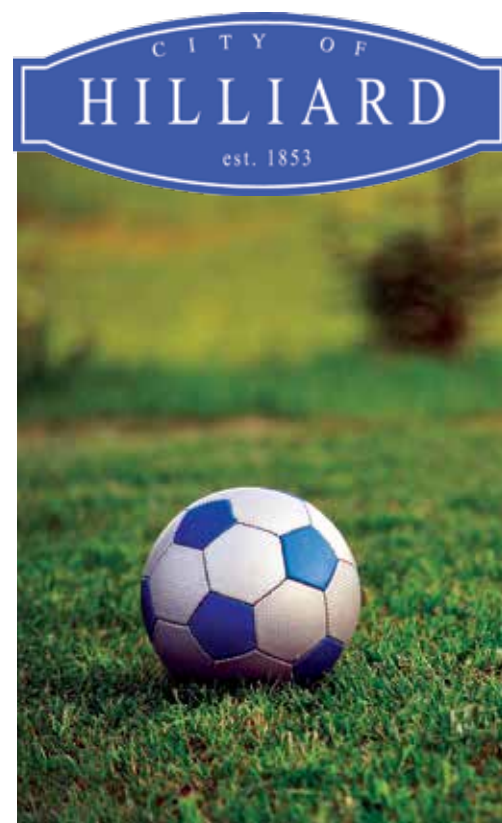
A revolutionary cardio-based total-body conditioning program based on the principles of Max Interval Training. You don't have to be in extreme shape — levels of each exercise are provided and participants work to their own personal best to reach all fitness levels. Insanity is not your traditional interval training program. It trades short intervals of intense moderate exercise for short periods of rest breaks instead, so you have high max intensity exercises with intervals of rest set to fun music. Participants do cardio and plyometric drills with intervals of strength, power, resistance, and core training, burning up to 1,000 calories an hour. Instructor: Holly Fiala.

- 8:30 a.m., Saturdays
- \$6 drop-in fee

THE NEW LIFESTYLE

This class provides fantastic fitness which empowers you to embrace a healthier lifestyle by increasing strength, endurance, balance and flexibility in a non-intimidating atmosphere using weights, bands, balls, or simply your own resistance. Instructor: Jane Stauffer.

- 10:30-11:15 a.m., Mondays and Thursdays
- \$5, drop-in fee; first class is free



SEE PAGE 17 FOR MORE
ADULT CLASSES

PIYO

PiYo LIVE is a strength fusion style format for all fitness levels and people who like to sweat! This low-impact, high-intensity workout gives you strength training, flexibility, and cardio all at once to upbeat Top 40 music! PiYo combines the muscle-sculpting, core-firming benefits of Pilates with the strength and flexibility advantages of yoga. And, we crank up the speed to deliver a true fat-burning, low-impact workout that leaves your body looking long, lean, and incredibly defined. Pilates or yoga mat required.

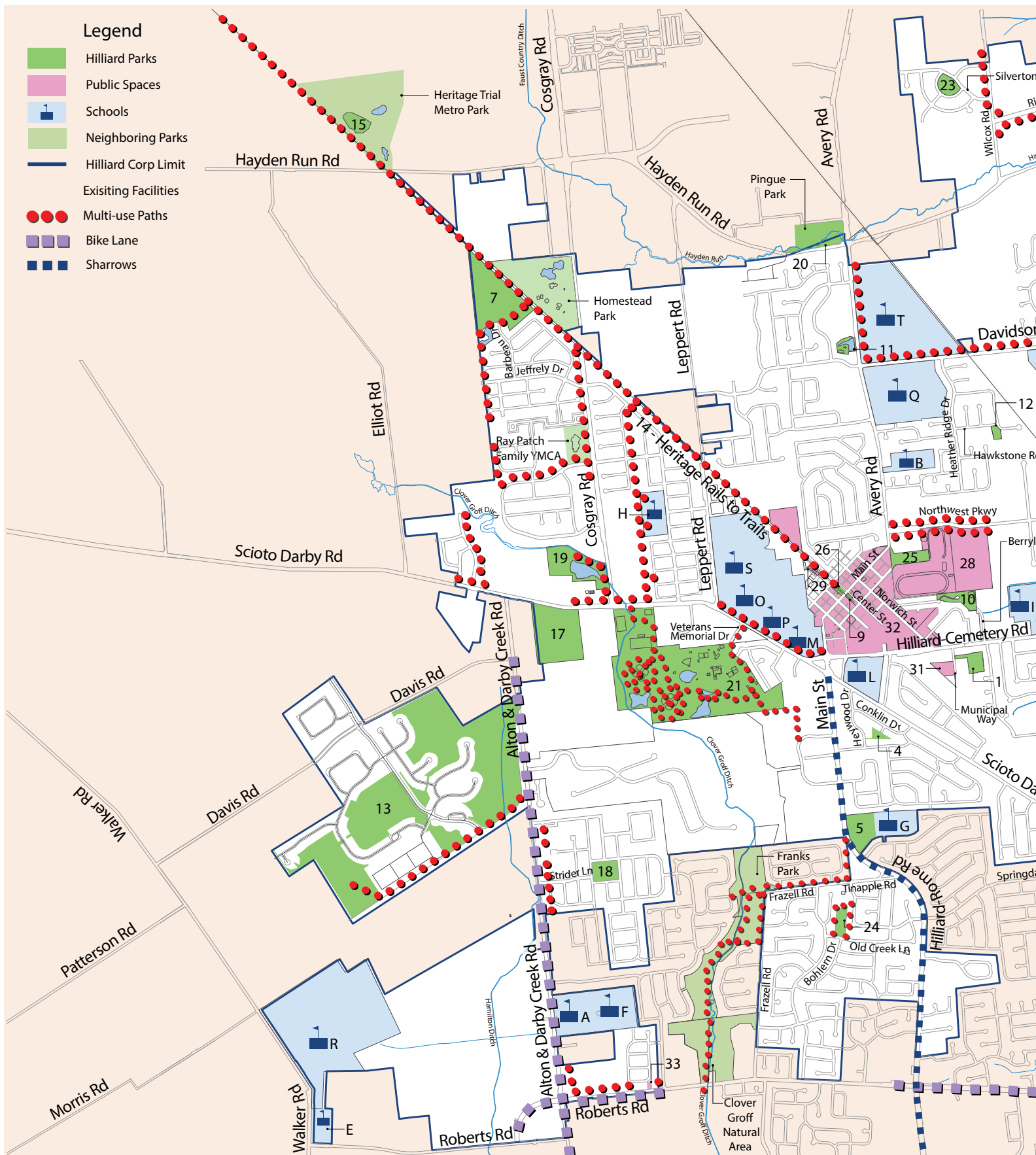
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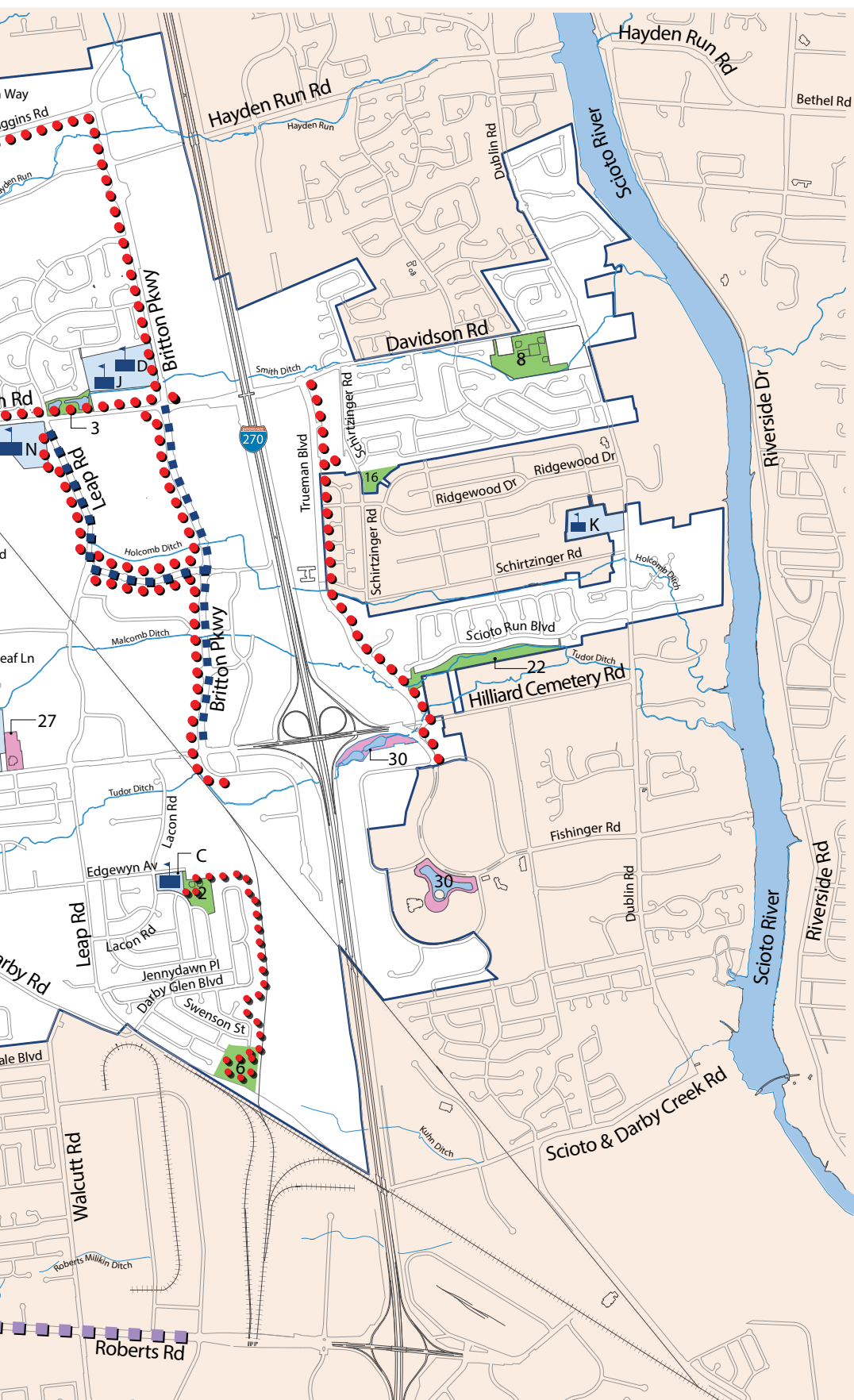
- 6:30 p.m., Wednesdays and 9:30 a.m., Saturdays
- \$6 drop-in fee

PICKLEBALL

Interested in Pickleball? It is a court game slower than tennis with strategies similar to tennis and table tennis. Pickleball is played with wood or composite paddles and perforated, plastic balls similar to Whiffle balls. The game is named after a co-inventors dog, Pickles, a cocker spaniel with a penchant for chasing stray balls from the playing courts and hiding them in nearby bushes.

- 9-10:30 a.m., Tuesdays and Thursdays and 1-3 p.m., Wednesday; free





Parks & Public Spaces

Parks

1. Alt Field
2. Beacon Fields
3. Britton Farms Park
4. Conklin Park
5. Crosscreek Park
6. Darby Glen Park
7. Estates at Hoffman
8. Father Rodric J. Dipietro Park
9. First Responder's Park
10. Hamilton Park
11. Hayden Run Village Park
12. Heather Ridge Park
13. Heritage Preserve
14. Heritage Rails to Trails
15. Heritage Trail Dog Park
16. Hilliard East Pool & Park
17. HOSA Soccer Complex
18. Lakewood Park
19. Latham Park
20. Reibel Woods
21. Roger A. Reynolds Municipal Park
22. Scioto Run Nature Trail
23. Silverton Park
24. Tinapple Park
25. Weaver Park- Historical Village

Public Spaces

26. Civic & Cultural Arts Center
27. Columbus Metro Library - Hilliard Branch
28. Franklin County Fairgrounds
29. Hilliard's Station Park
30. Mill Run
31. Municipal Building
32. Old Hilliard
33. Roberts Road Park House

Hilliard Schools

Preschools & Elementary Schools

- A Alton Darby ES
- B Avery ES
- C Beacon ES
- D Britton ES
- E Brown ES
- F Darby Creek ES
- G Hilliard Crossing ES
- H Hoffman Trails
- I J.W. Reason ES
- J Norwich ES
- K Ridgewood ES
- L Scioto Darby ES

Sixth Grade Schools

- M Hilliard Station SG
- N Tharp SG

Middle Schools

- O Heritage MS
- P Memorial MS
- Q Weaver MS

High Schools

- R Bradley HS
- S Darby HS
- T Davidson HS



EXISTING BICYCLE & MULTI-USE PATHS

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& ASSOCIATES LLC

LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTS
754 NEIL AVENUE

LAND PLANNERS
COLUMBUS, OHIO 43215

PLANNING CONSULTANTS
614-221-0580

CITY OF HILLIARD PARK FACILITIES

- 1. Alt Field**
3800 Municipal Way
- 2. Beacon Fields**
4375 Edgewyn Drive
- 3. Britton Farms Park**
4500 Davidson Road
- 4. Conklin Park**
1000 Boucher Drive
- 5. Crosscreek Park**
3342 Rome Hilliard Road
- 6. Darby Glen Park**
4340 Swenson Street
- 7. Estates at Hoffman**
Barbeau Lane
- 8. Father Rodric J. DiPietro Park**
3481 Davidson Road
- 9. First Responders Park**
4020 Main Street
- 10. Hamilton Park**
4950 Hamilton Road
- 11. Hayden Run Village Park**
4760 Drayton Road
- 12. Heather Ridge Park**
4833 Hawkstone Rd.
- 13. Heritage Preserve**
Opening 2015
- 14. Heritage Rails to Trails**
7.7 Miles Paved (Start at Makoy Center)
- 15. Heritage Trail Dog Park**
7262 Hayden Run Road
- 16. Hilliard East Pool & Park**
4450 Schirtzinger Road
- 17. HOSA Soccer Complex**
6371 Scioto Darby Rd
- 18. Lakewood Park**
3180 Walkerview Drive
- 19. Latham Park**
6400 Cosgray Road
- 20. Reibel Woods**
6000 Hayden Run Road
- 21. Roger A. Reynolds Municipal Park**
3800 Veterans Memorial Drive
- 22. Scioto Run Nature Trail**
3757 Scioto Run Blvd
- 23. Silverton Park**
5075 Silverton Way
- 24. Tinapple Park**
5503 Hyde Park Drive
- 25. Weaver Park**
4100 Columbia Street
- 26. Hilliard's Station Park**
Corner of Main and Center streets



SHELTER RENTALS & ACTIVITIES IN OUR PARKS



SHELTER HOUSES

Five shelter houses in the Roger A. Reynolds Municipal Park are available to reserve for \$100/day. The rental fee for shelter houses is non-refundable. To secure a space for your picnic, please make reservations in advance online at hilliardohio.gov. Shelter rentals are not done over the phone or in person.

The Community Center and Phyllis A. Ernst Senior Center are also available to rent for meetings, seminars, private parties, or other purposes that do not compete with any of our programs.

Reservations for any indoor facility must be made in person or by phone. Please be aware that no alcohol is allowed on the premises of any rental sites. Groups are responsible for providing their own supplies, decorations, table coverings, food, etc. Groups are responsible for all setup and cleanup, and time for this must be included in the time of the rental.

Contact Hayley McClaine at hmcclaine@hilliardohio.gov for additional information about shelter or room reservations.

HORSESHOE COURTS

There are eight blue clay courts in Roger A. Reynolds Municipal Park. The courts are maintained and used by the Hilliard Horseshoe Club on Wednesday and Thursday evenings. For information on the club, visit hilliardhorseshoeclub.org.

DISC GOLF

The Roger A. Reynolds Municipal Park is home to a 9-hole disc golf course. The course is located near the amphitheater stage and west of the Hilliard Family Aquatic Center parking lot. Use of this course is free. Please bring your own discs.

LITTLE ACORNS CHILDREN'S GARDEN

Visit this children's garden dedicated to teaching children about recycling, composting, non-pesticide gardening and more in Roger A. Reynolds Municipal Park.

COMMUNITY GARDENS

Garden plots are located near the water tower at the Estates at Hoffman Farms, off Leap Road south of Davidson Road and behind the Senior Center in Roger A. Reynolds Municipal Park. Registration is available online. Plots must be cleared by Oct. 31, 2015. For more information, contact Kenny Brown at kbrown@hilliardohio.gov.

SLEDDING HILL

Nothing says winter like a good sled ride. Hit the hill at Roger A. Reynolds Municipal Park and get your ride on!

BOCCE BALL

Our bocce ball court is available for public use behind the Phyllis A. Ernst Senior Center, subject to senior programming. Bring your own equipment.



HERITAGE TRAIL DOG PARK

The park is located at 7262 Hayden Run Road at the Heritage Trailhead. This park provides Hilliard area residents with a safe place for off-leash play with their dogs. Off-leash play benefits all members of the community. Dogs that have regular exercise are better neighbors. They are quieter, better behaved and friendlier to other people and dogs.

The park features distinct areas for different types of dogs: one acre dedicated to leisure or small dogs and three acres dedicated to active or larger dogs. There is a doggie "sprinkle area" with water features in the middle of the park and a doggie drinking fountain. There are also pathways through the park that lead to benches and shaded areas.

The City of Hilliard is seeking financial sponsorship and in-kind services to continue to fund this project and add additional features. Visit hilliardohio.gov for more information about how to support this project.

WE'RE GREENER THAN EVER BEFORE!

Have you seen the new recycling bins in our parks? The Environmental Sustainability



Commission was recently awarded a \$13,000 grant from the Solid Waste Authority of Central Ohio to place fifty 60-gallon portable plastic recycling bins in various parks and public spaces around the Hilliard community.

PHYLLIS A. ERNST SENIOR CENTER

**3810 Veterans Memorial Drive
614.876.0747 and 614.876.5200**

Hours: 8 a.m.–4 p.m., Monday–Friday, plus open until 7 p.m. Wednesdays, Thursdays and for special events where noted.

The Recreation and Parks Department invites all those 55 and older to participate in the many programs and classes the Phyllis A. Ernst Senior Center has to offer. Programs and activities range from fitness, travel, enrichment and educational programs, dance, health and wellness, to special events, lunches, volunteerism, and special interests groups. Please take a look at the bi-monthly newsletter for information on all the offerings at the Senior Center. The senior community is also invited to participate in the many adult programs and special events offered by the Recreation and Parks Department.

BECOME A MEMBER TODAY!
Just \$15/year and free for those 90 and older!

Benefits include:

- Bi-monthly Newsletter
- Members-only programs
- Discount on Pool Membership
- Discount at the Hilliard Park Café
- Chance to make new friends and a great place to socialize



REGISTRATION DATES

The bi-monthly Senior Newsletter is available for you to pick up at the Center the second Friday of the month. Registration for all new programs listed in the newsletter is the Tuesday after Happiness Club. The Senior Newsletter is available for you to view online at hilliardohio.gov. As of Oct. 1, 2015, we can no longer take credit card payment over the phone.

SENIOR CITIZEN HALL OF FAME

Please join us to celebrate the induction of A.C. and Theresa Montgomery into our Hall of Fame.

- Tuesday, Sept. 15
- Reception: 5:30-6:30 p.m.
- Induction Ceremony: 6:30-7:30 p.m.

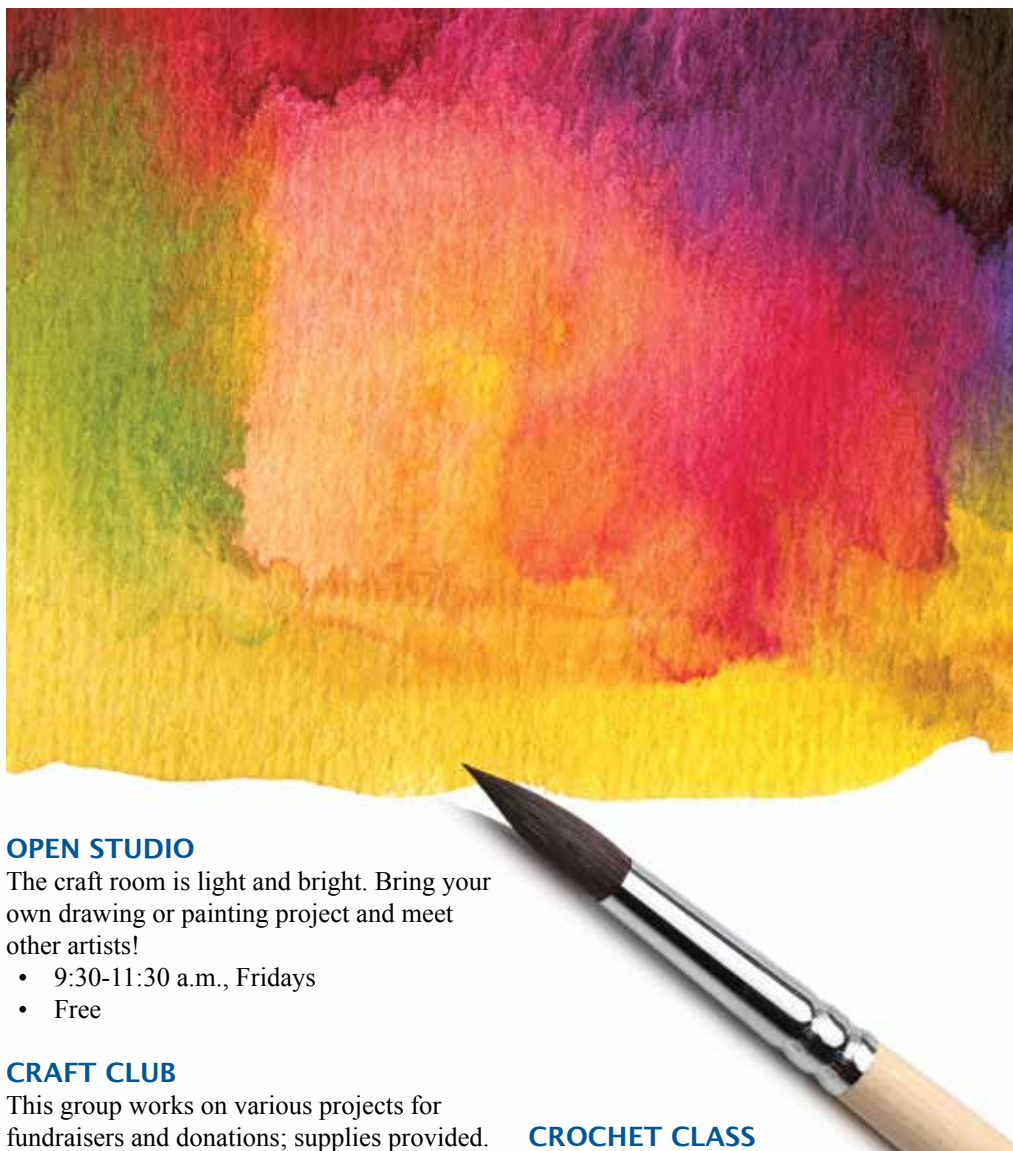
HAPPINESS CLUB

Get ready for a great spaghetti dinner with great company. Happiness Club is hosting the meal from 4-7 p.m., Friday, Oct. 23. The cost is \$7. Check the next Senior Center Newsletter for more details.

HILLIARD PARK CAFÉ

Meals are served at Noon on Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays. The cost is \$5 for members and \$7 for non-members. Please make a reservation by 4 p.m. the preceding day. Meal tickets are available in the Senior Center office as an alternative to paying the \$5 meal charge each day. A meal ticket may be purchased for six meals for \$29 or 12 meals for \$58 with cash, check and major credit cards. Pick up a menu in the office or view online.

SENIORS: ACTIVITIES & GROUPS



OPEN STUDIO

The craft room is light and bright. Bring your own drawing or painting project and meet other artists!

- 9:30-11:30 a.m., Fridays
- Free

CRAFT CLUB

This group works on various projects for fundraisers and donations; supplies provided.

- 10 a.m., Wednesdays
- Free

FRIDAY FLICKS

Enjoy a movie and popcorn! Check the activity wall for titles.

- 1 p.m., second and fourth Fridays
- Free

JEWELRY MAKING CLASS

Taught by Katie Edgington and Navi Kandula from The Laurels of Hilliard.

- 1:30 p.m., second Friday every other month
- Free; supplies provided

OSHIIP

The Ohio Senior Health Insurance Information Program provides free information and other health insurance services to people in Ohio covered by Medicare. Schedule a one-on-one appointment at the Center office.

- Fourth Thursdays
- Free

CROCHET CLASS

Experienced or beginner, have fun crocheting with others. Join Tricia Kincaid from Mill Run Gardens.

- 1 p.m., fourth Wednesday
- Free; supplies provided

ALZHEIMER'S SUPPORT GROUP

This group provides caregivers with an opportunity to share their experiences and receive support from others coping with Alzheimer's disease. There is no cost or commitment to attend.

- 9:30 a.m., third Fridays
- Free

COMPUTER CLASSES

New classes are currently forming. Please check the latest edition of the Senior Center newsletter for dates and times.

BIBLE STUDY

- 10:30 a.m., Mondays
- Free

LUNCHEONS & TIME TO EAT!

HAPPINESS CLUB

This luncheon sponsored by the Happiness Club is the second Friday of the month at noon and the cost is \$6. Your reservation is due to Joy Hoffman at 614.876.6694 by 4 p.m. the Tuesday before the lunch.

PRAYER LUNCHEON

This monthly luncheon is the last Friday of the month and the cost is \$5. An area minister presents a short message. Reservations are due the day before by calling the Phyllis A. Ernst Senior Center at 614.876.0747.

DINE AND DISCOVER

Carriage Court hosts this monthly luncheon the third Friday of the month at Noon. Please register in advance. Carriage Court provides an informative speaker for your enjoyment after lunch. There is no charge.

WELLNESS WEDNESDAY

Staying active, maintaining spiritual well-being and eating well are keys to living a longer, healthier life, no matter your age. Nurture your mind, body and spirit through lunch and educational programs on the third Wednesday of the month; \$5/members, \$7/non-member. Reservation by 4 p.m. the day before.

FIREFIGHTER'S LUNCHEON

Our local fire department sponsors a luncheon for all area seniors several times a year at the Phyllis A. Ernst Senior Center. Information on dates for these luncheons is listed in the bi-monthly newsletter or in informational flyers at the center.

LUNCH & LEARN

Various organizations and companies present programs and offer lunch at the center. Please check your bi-monthly newsletter for details and dates.

SENIORS: GAME SCHEDULE & EXCURSIONS

CARDS & GAMES

A great way to meet new people and interact with others! The Phyllis A. Ernst Senior Center offers many opportunities throughout the week for cards and games. All levels of ability are welcomed and encouraged; no advance registration is required (drop-in program). Bingo is \$2.



| | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday |
|--------------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|
| Bingo (\$2) | | | | 1 p.m. | |
| Bridge: Beginner | | 10 a.m. | | 10 a.m. | |
| Bridge | | | 9:30 a.m. | | |
| Bridge: Duplicate | 12:30 p.m. | | | | |
| Billiards | 8 a.m.-4 p.m. | 8 a.m.-4 p.m. | 8 a.m.-4 p.m. | 8 a.m.-4 p.m. | 8 a.m.-4 p.m. |
| Corn Hole | | | 9:30 a.m. | | |
| Euchre | | | 1 p.m. | | |
| Pinochle | 12:30 p.m. | | | 1 p.m. | |
| Poker-Keno* | | | | 10 a.m.* | |
| Hand & Foot | | 12:30 p.m. | | | |
| Pickleball | | 9 a.m. | 1 p.m. | 9 a.m. | |

* Last Thursday of the month; register in advance. Sponsored by Mayfair Village.

ALL ABOARD

The Phyllis A. Ernst Senior Center offers many excursions to members throughout the year. If you have ever joined us, you know what a grand time we have on our journeys. There are several from which to select — and we travel near and far. Group travel is a great way to socialize and see the world.

Please refer to our newsletter for all upcoming trips and travel opportunities. We do work with group tour providers for our overnight excursions.



| EXCURSIONS | A Taste of Scotland & Ireland | Fabulous New Orleans |
|--------------------------|-------------------------------|----------------------|
| Departure | Thursday, May 12, 2016 | TBA |
| Return | Sunday, May 22, 2016 | TBA |
| Transportation | Plane/ Motorcoach | Motorcoach |
| Length | 10 Days/ 9 Nights | TBA |
| Provider | World of Travel | White Star Tours |
| Fees (Dbl Occ) | \$3,995 | TBA |
| Deposit | \$500 | \$100 |
| Final Payment | Feb. 4, 2016 | August 2016 |
| Travel Protection | TravelEx | TravelEx |
| Passport | Yes | No |

SENIORS: ACTIVITIES & FITNESS

CLASS ACTIVITY CARD

This card is offered to those taking part in health and wellness classes. The cost of the card is \$15 for eight classes.

BOWLING

Meet with your friends and have fun bowling at Sawmill Lanes on Sawmill and Bethel roads. Instructor: Bill Lobuzzetta.

- 9 a.m., Mondays
- \$7 for three games
- Sponsored by AMF Sawmill Lanes

ZUMBA

Zumba combines high-energy, motivating music with easy-to-follow moves. Burn calories and feel energized with this Latin flavored workout like no other. Instructor: Doreen Woodard.

- 9:15 a.m., Mondays and Wednesdays; 6 p.m., Thursdays; and 5 p.m., Sundays
- \$3 drop-in fee

BOCCE BALL

Equipment is available in the center for use at the Bocce Ball court. Stop in and request the equipment at any time the Center is open.

INDOOR WALKING

Monday-Friday from 8-8:45 a.m. in the gym.

CORNHOLE

Great exercise and lots of fun!

- 9:30 a.m., Wednesdays

GET FIT

This class is a complete full-body workout. Some exercises are done while seated and some while standing. Work at your own pace. Free weights are used. Instructors: Tony Johnson and Maggie Schmidt.

- 9:15-10 a.m., Tuesdays and Fridays
- \$2/class or activity card

FITNESS ROOM

Fitness equipment, a treadmill, stationary bicycles, an elliptical machine and free weights are available at the Community Center during open hours. A Senior membership and \$5 monthly fee are required.

LIFESTYLE GROUP EXERCISE

This 45-minute class empowers you to reach your potential through group exercise, personal coaching and wellness pursuits while you work on balance, strength and endurance. The exercise is challenging but attainable; you stand and use chairs for stability; no floor work involved. Instructor: Jane Stauffer.

- 10:30-11:15 a.m., Mondays and Thursdays
- \$5 drop-in fee; try the first class for free!

LINE DANCING

Line dancing is a great way to exercise and have fun! Special clothing is not needed but best not to wear athletic shoes. Instructor: Nancy Bryner.

- 1:15 p.m., Tuesdays
- \$2/class or an activity card

PICKLE BALL

It is a court game slower than tennis with strategies similar to tennis and table tennis. Pickleball is played with wood or composite paddles and perforated, plastic balls similar to whiffle balls. The game is named after a co-inventors dog, Pickles, a cocker spaniel with a penchant for chasing stray balls from the playing courts and hiding them in nearby bushes. Sponsored by Darby Glen and Crown Pointe.

- 9-10:30 a.m., Tuesdays and Thursdays, 1-3 p.m., Wednesdays; Free

CHAIR VOLLEYBALL

Play this fun version of volleyball with a 20-inch beach ball, smaller court and lower net. Instructor: Linda Hoover.

- 10:30-11:30 a.m., first and third Fridays
- Free

ADULT CLASSES

WILLS AND PROBATE

Wayne Hassay, Attorney-at-Law

This program aims to make the process of getting a will easy to understand and complete.

- Activity 212598-06: 6:30-8 p.m., Thursday, Sept. 17
- Free

FOUNDATIONS OF INVESTING

Tim Payne with Edward Jones

Building one's investor IQ starts with understanding the basics.

- Activity 212597-10: 6:30-8 p.m., Thursday, Sept. 24.
- Free

BRING BALANCE TO YOUR BUDGET

Tim Payne with Edward Jones

Balancing your expenses now can help you reach your financial goals later.

- Activity 212597-12: 6:30-8 p.m., Thursday, Nov. 19
- Free

WATERCOLOR PAINTING

Ages 16 and older

Watercolor class and studio for beginners through advanced painters. Learn techniques, produce art worthy of your wall and above all else, enjoy the time and company. Instructor: Local artist Gary Wedlund.

- Activity 312890-06: 6-8 p.m., Tuesdays, Sept. 22-Oct. 27
- Activity 312890-07: 6-8 p.m., Tuesdays, Nov. 3-Dec. 8
- Activity 312890-08: 6-8 p.m., Tuesdays, Jan. 5-Feb. 9
- \$45 for 6-week session (supplies on your own, approx. \$30)

RETIREMENT BY DESIGN

Tim Payne with Edward Jones

During the presentation, individuals can translate their visions for retirement into tangible goals.

- Activity 212597-11: 6:30-8 p.m., Thursday, Oct. 22
- Free

AUTO & HOMEOWNERS INSURANCE

Wayne Hassay, Attorney-at-Law

Learn how your policy actually operates while you are making a claim.

- Activity 212598-07: 6:30-8 p.m., Thursday, Oct. 8
- Free

FAMILY LAW BASICS

Wayne Hassay, Attorney-at-Law

This program reviews the basics of family law and set aside time for private questions afterward.

- Activity 212598-08: 6:30-8 p.m., Monday, Nov. 23
- Free

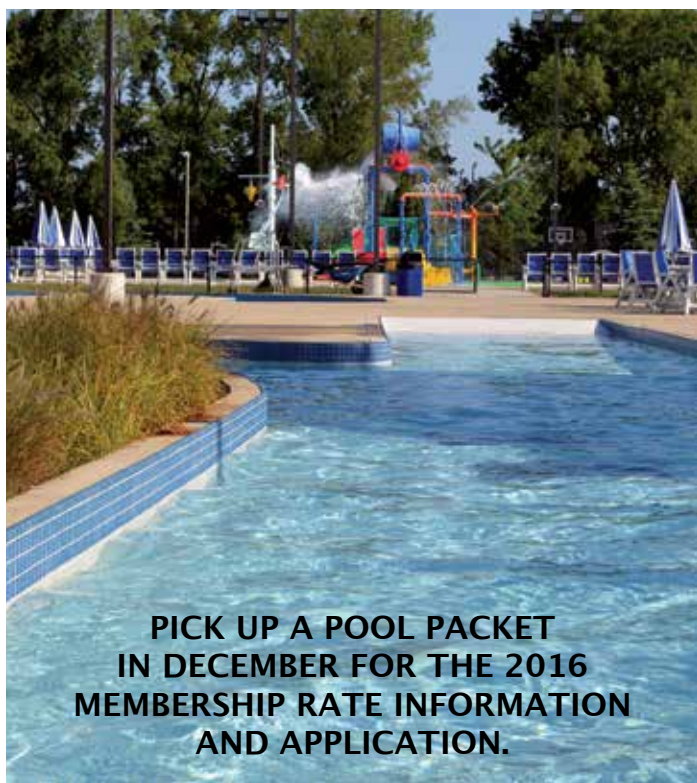
WOMEN AND INVESTING

Tim Payne with Edward Jones

Learn how to develop a financial strategy that fits your lifestyle and needs.

- Activity 212597-13: 6:30-8 p.m., Thursday, Jan. 28
- Free

2016 AQUATIC NEWS & NOTES



**PICK UP A POOL PACKET
IN DECEMBER FOR THE 2016
MEMBERSHIP RATE INFORMATION
AND APPLICATION.**

Get your suit!
We're going swimming!

2016 POOL MEMBERSHIPS

Purchase discounted pool memberships between Monday, Jan. 4 and Friday, March 18, 2016! Gift certificates are available at the Recreation & Parks Department office. Be sure to pick up a 2016 Hilliard Municipal Pool packet for comprehensive information about our pools and aquatic programs!

CITY OF HILLIARD MUNICIPAL POOLS

The Hilliard Family Aquatic Center — one of the largest outdoor municipal complexes in Ohio — features two 30-foot water slides, a 25-yard competition pool, an interactive leisure pool which includes a play structure and 450-gallon dumping bucket, a 560-foot lazy river with water attractions and the nationally recognized main pool (originally built in 1974)!

The Hilliard East Pool includes a leisure pool with a 10-foot water slide and a separate wading pool.

VOLUNTEERING & ADOPT-A-PARK PROGRAM

VOLUNTEERING

Is your troop, organization or business looking for ways to serve the community? Are you an individual in need of community service opportunities to further your education? A family that would like to do something to spruce up their neighborhood or favorite park?

The Hilliard Recreation and Parks Department is always in need of dependable volunteers for community events, park clean up and park projects. Our annual Earth Day event and helping to prepare food, serve lunches and/or kitchen clean up at the Hilliard Park Café (page 14) are also great opportunities.

Please take the time to fill out a Volunteer Application (available online) or pick up at the the Hilliard Community Center, 3800 Veterans Memorial Drive, Hilliard, Ohio, 43026.

Questions?

Contact Hayley McClaine at hmcclaine@hilliardohio.gov for more information.

**HELP KEEP
OUR PARKS CLEAN**
We support your efforts by
providing you with the tools
you need, including: trash
bags, gloves, materials and
advice.
Call us to get
started!

ADOPT-A-PARK

The City of Hilliard's Adopt-A-Park program offers two ways for individuals, local businesses and groups to take an active role in the beautification and maintenance of our community's growing park system. Monetary donations may be made to recognize those who have made an impact on the Hilliard community or to celebrate a special occasion or life of a loved one. You may request to support a specific park or purchase a park amenity in accordance with Hilliard's public space design standards. When possible, a recognition plaque will be affixed to or near the amenity. The Park Volunteer Sponsorship program is designed for businesses or groups to assist with basic year-round mulching, weeding, small-scale gardening, painting and other activities. The City will help you choose a role that is most needed and also the best way to recognize your volunteers. Visit hilliardohio.org for more.

Special Events



Begin the holiday season with the 26th Annual lighting of the City Tree and the new Hilliard's Station Park by Mayor Don Schonhardt. Enjoy musical selections by the Scioto Darby Elementary first-grade choir under the direction of Joyce Brandt. This festive evening also includes a visit by Santa, ice sculpting demonstrations, reindeer, cookie decorating, Matt the Balloon Guy, face painting and hot chocolate. Watch for more details!

COLUMBUS Children's THEATRE

RUMPELSTILTSKIN 3 P.M., SATURDAY, MARCH 12

Free; Donations to Patches of Light
Magical worlds are filled with joy, celebration and riddles. In this unique telling of a classic fairytale is a great way to study classic literature and origins of a story with a silly twist. Our story begins with a bragging baker making tall claims that his daughter can spin straw into gold to none other than the king himself. Unable to reach these high expectations, the baker's daughter must call on Rumpelstiltskin to spin rooms full of straw into gold. Adapted by William Goldsmith. Sponsored by the Hilliard Arts Council and The Hilliard Recreation and Parks Department.

HILLIARD-AREA PRESCHOOL EXPO



The Hilliard Recreation and Parks Department is hosting an open house. Area Preschools have been invited to set up an information table. This is your opportunity to speak to a representative from all attending area schools, including our own Hilliard Rec Preschool. Find out about curriculum, prices, days of the week, teacher student ratio and more! Join us for this informative morning! Also meet the staff from some of our recreational preschool programs such as Jump Start Sports, Soccer Shots, WeJoySing, Musikgarten and more!

- 10 a.m.-Noon, Saturday, Jan. 9
- Free

TRICK OR TREAT

6-8 p.m.,
Thursday,
Oct. 29



LETTERS TO SANTA

Drop off letters to Santa at Hilliard's Station Park in the Santa Mailbox, located at the corner of Main and Center streets. Include a self-addressed stamped envelope. Dec. 1-16.



Join us for our annual special event...

Music from Paradise Island
Inflatables by Super Games
Airbrush Tattoos
Crafts
Dr. Insecta
Turtle Lady
Free Wheelers

COSI On Wheels
Game & Treat Stations
Farm Market
Patches of Light Piggy
Bank Drive
Horse-Drawn Hay Wagon Rides
Apple Cidering

Pumpkin Patch \$2
Jungle Island Zoo
Child's Homestead Exploration
Hot Dogs
Laser Maze
And much, much more!

Credit: Morning Light Photography

HILLIARD'S STATION PARK

Hilliard's Station Park is located at the starting point of the seven-mile Heritage Trail in downtown Hilliard. Until the mid-20th century, this was the site of the City's original town center, where Main Street and the old railroad station came together. The station is long gone, but the City wants the site to be a center of activity again. Part of a phased revitalization effort to bring business and activity to downtown Hilliard, Hilliard's Station Park is both a recreational hub for a nearby bike trail and a year-round event space for the community.

The park contains an amphitheater, spray park, multi-functional building with event and food prep space, and a public restroom. Architectural features of the two buildings reflect the site's past use as a train depot. Glass garage



doors on the event space can be opened to allow guests to enjoy the interior and exterior space as one venue.

Watch for more information on our Facebook Page or the City's website for details on the Ribbon Cutting and events in this new park.